

Michigan Mission Center - Conference Delegate Policies

Delegate and Ex-Officio Representation at Mission Center Conferences

Adopted Oct. 16, 2010 and amended Nov. 3, 2012 and Nov. 3, 2018

The voting body of Michigan Mission Center Conferences shall be as follows:

Ex officio –

- a.) The Mission Center President and two of his/her counselors, the Mission Center Financial Officer and two of his/her counselors and the conference secretary shall be entitled to voice and vote and shall not be eligible to serve as delegates from any congregation.
- b.) Michigan Mission Center Volunteer Field Specialists shall be entitled to voice and vote.
- c.) Full time World Church ministers assigned to Michigan Mission Center shall be entitled to voice and vote.
- d.) One pastor (or designee) from each Congregation shall be entitled to voice and vote.
- e.) One financial officer (or designee) from each Congregation shall be entitled to voice and vote.

Delegates – Each congregation shall be allowed to elect one delegate at large.

Additionally, each Congregation shall be allowed to elect one delegate for every 50 members or any fraction thereof based on the World Church membership records as of December 31 of the year preceding the year in which the conference is held.

Each congregation shall report the name(s) of its ex officio and elected delegates to the Mission Center Office not later than four weeks prior to the opening day of the conference utilizing forms and procedures to be provided by the Mission Center. Congregations shall be permitted to elect and report one alternate for each elected delegate.

The mission center president shall establish procedures for electing or appointing up to ten delegates from the nonresident and general category members. Any of the ten seats left open may be filled by alternates from congregations according to the Seating Alternates policy.

Resolution for Seating Alternates at Michigan USA/Canada MC Conferences

Adopted Nov. 3, 2012

1. Following the reporting deadline for delegates and alternates to the Mission Center Office, open delegate seats may be filled with alternates from other congregations.
2. Alternates will be assigned to open delegate seats. They will be selected in a random drawing overseen by Mission Center Leadership.